ORDINANCE NO. 381 NS

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 5.06.030 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY EL PASO DE ROBLES

The City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That Section 5.06.030 be and is hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. That new Section 5.06.030 be adopted to read as follows:

5.06.030 Tax Imposed. For the privilege of occupancy in any hotel, each transient is subject to and shall pay a tax in the amount of six percent of the rent charged by the operator. The tax constitutes a debt owed by the transient to the City which is extinquished only by payment to the operator or to the City. The transient shall pay the tax to the operator of the hotel at the time the rent is paid. If the rent is paid in installments, a proportionate share of the tax shall be paid with each installment. The unpaid tax shall be due upon the transient's ceasing to occupy space in the hotel. If for any reason the tax is not paid to the operator of the hotel, the tax administrator may require that such tax shall be paid directly to the tax administrator.

The rate of the tax in the amount of six percent of the rent charged by the operator shall be in effect on and after January 1, 1976.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this <u>6th</u> day of <u>October</u>, 1975, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Barnhart, Hanson, Minshull, Stockdale, Schwartz

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

Barry Schuret

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK